## CITY COUNCIL ATLANTA, GEORGIA

01-0-0614

AN ORDINANCE

BY COUNCILMEMBER C. T. MARTIN Close Wendle

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF ATLANTA ADOPTED UNDER AND BY VIRTUE OF THE AUTHORITY OF THE MUNICIPAL HOME RULE ACT OF 1965 (GA. LAWS 1965, P. 298, ET SEQ.) AS AMENDED, TO AMEND SECTION 2-303, CHAPTER 3, ARTICLE 2, OF THE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF ATLANTA, GEORGIA, (GA. LAWS, 1996, P. 4469, ET. SEQ.) APPROVED APRIL 15, 1996, AS AMENDED, SO AS TO PROVIDE FOR THREE PUBLIC HEARINGS DURING THE YEAR TO RECEIVE COMMENTS FROM CITIZENS CONCERNING CITY SERVICES; TO REPEAL CONFLICTING ORDINANCES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE AND IT IS HEREBY ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ATLANTA, GEORGIA, as follows:

**SECTION 1.** That a new Subsection (e) is added to Section 2-303. Chapter 3, Article 2, of the Charter of the City of Atlanta, Georgia, to read:

"(e) The council shall hold three public hearings during the year to receive comments from citizens concerning city services. The public hearings shall take place on the first Tuesday in April, August and December of each year."

SECTION 2. That a copy of this proposed amendment to the Charter of the City of Atlanta shall be filed in the Office of the Municipal Clerk of the City of Atlanta and in Offices of the Clerks of the Superior Courts of Fulton and DeKalb counties, Georgia, and that a "Notice of Proposed Amendment to the Charter of the City of Atlanta", attached hereto, marked "Exhibit A" and made a part of this ordinance, be published once a week for three weeks in newspaper of general circulation in the City of Atlanta and in the official organ of Fulton County, and that a copy of said advertisement be attached to this ordinance prior to its final adoption by the Atlanta City Council and provided that such final adoption shall only take place during week immediately succeeding the week in which the last advertisement was published.

**SECTION 3.** That all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby rescinded.

A true copy, Rhonda Daugkin Johnson Municipal Clerk, CMC

ADOPTED by the Council APPROVED by the Mayor

MAY 21, 2001 MAY 25, 2001

## NOTICE OF PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF ATLANTA

NOTICE is hereby given that an Ordinance has been introduced to amend the Charter of the City of Atlanta (Ga. Laws, 1996, p4469, et. seq.), as amended, and Ordinance be captioned as follows:

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF ATLANTA ADOPTED UNDER AND BY VIRTUE OF THE AUTHORITY OF THE MUNICIPAL HOME RULE ACT OF 1965 (GA. LAWS 1965, P. 298, ET SEQ.) AS AMENDED, TO AMEND SECTION 2-303, CHAPTER 3, ARTICLE 2, OF THE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF ATLANTA, GEORGIA, (GA. LAWS, 1996, P. 4469, ET. SEQ.) APPROVED APRIL 15, 1996, AS AMENDED, SO AS TO PROVIDE FOR THREE PUBLIC HEARINGS DURING THE YEAR TO RECEIVE COMMENTS FROM CITIZENS CONCERNING CITY SERVICES; TO REPEAL CONFLICTING ORDINANCES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

A copy of the proposed Ordinance and Charter amendment is on file in the Office of the Municipal Clerk of the City of Atlanta and in Offices of the Clerks of the Superior Courts of Fulton and DeKalb counties, Georgia for the purpose of examination and inspection by the public.

This day of	, 2001.
	Municipal Clerk

**EXHIBIT "A"** 

## Atlanta City Council

Regular Session

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